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Re: Past Cost Consent Decree Notice of Payment: United States v. United Park City Mines Co., et al., Civil No. 2:06CV00745 PGC (Richardson Flat Tailings Site)  
EPA Region VIII Site/Spill Identification No. 0894, U.S. DOJ Case No. 90-11-3-08764

Dear Peggy:

Notice is hereby given that on December 6, 2006, United Park City Mines Company and the Atlantic Richfield Company caused \$403,525.09 to be transferred via FedWire Eletronic Funds Transfer to the U.S. Department of Justice. The transfer was made to the account specified in the wire instructions set forth in the letter dated December 1, 2006 addressed to United Park City Mines Company and Atlantic Richfield Company from Corrine A. Christen, CP, on behalf of EPA. The "Fed Reference" number for the transfer is 4846.

The transfer was made and this notice is being provided pursuant to the terms of the past cost Consent Decree entered in the above-referenced matter. The amount transferred represents the entire balance (including all accrued interest) of the Escrow Account established pursuant to the Consent Decree. The Escrow Account is now closed.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or to follow up.

Very truly yours,



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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to Section XIII. NOTICES AND SUBMISSIONS of the Consent Decree, which was entered by the Court on November 28, 2006, in the above-referenced matter (the "Consent Decree), this letter is written to notify you that payment has been made to the Department of Justice and the Environmental Protection Agency on December 1, 2006 pursuant to Section V. PAYMENT OF RESPONSE COSTS of the Consent Decree. The amount of \$60,000 has been paid by FEDWIRE Electronic Funds Transfer in the manner set forth on Attachment B, attached hereto.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ben S. Evans".

Attachment B